



# Local Government Act (Northern Ireland) 1972

## 1972 CHAPTER 9

### PART VII

#### MISCELLANEOUS FUNCTIONS

##### CO-OPERATION WITH OTHER COUNCILS, PUBLIC BODIES AND GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS

#### 104 Agency arrangements

- (1) A council may make arrangements with <sup>F1</sup>... any public body or government department for the exercise of any functions—
- (a) by the council on behalf of <sup>F1</sup>..., as the case may be, the public body or department, or
  - (b) by <sup>F1</sup>..., as the case may be, the public body or department on behalf of the council,
- on such terms as may be provided for by the arrangements.
- (2) A public body or government department which proposes to make arrangements under subsection (1) shall have power to make the arrangements and carry them into effect if, apart from the provisions of this subsection, it would not have power to do so, except that a public body shall not make any such arrangements in pursuance of this subsection without the consent of the Ministry concerned.
- (3) Arrangements made under this section shall not diminish in any respect the responsibility of any council, public body or department by which the arrangements are made.

**F1** Words in s. 104(1) repealed (1.4.2015) by [Local Government Act \(Northern Ireland\) 2014 \(c. 8\)](#), s. 129, [Sch. 10](#) (with s. 124(4)); [S.R. 2015/209](#), art. 2, [Sch. 1](#)

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**Modifications etc. (not altering text)**

- C1** Ss. 104 - 106 applied (with modifications) by S.R. 2004/49, art. 7 (as inserted (28.1.2008) by [Local Government \(Constituting a Joint Committee a Body Corporate\) \(Amendment\) Order \(Northern Ireland\) 2007 \(S.R. 2007/505\)](#), **art. 2(5)**)
- C2** Ss. 104-106 applied (20.8.2008) by [Local Government \(Constituting a Joint Committee a Body Corporate\) Order \(Northern Ireland\) 2008 \(S.R. 2008/310\)](#), **art. 7**
- C3** Ss. 104-106 applied with modifications (2.4.2012) by [The Local Government \(Constituting Joint Committees as Bodies Corporate\) Order \(Northern Ireland\) 2012 \(S.R. 2012/10\)](#), arts. 1, **6**
- C4** Ss. 104-106 applied (1.4.2015) by [The Local Government \(Constituting a Joint Committee a Body Corporate\) Order \(Northern Ireland\) 2015 \(S.R. 2015/183\)](#), art. 1, **reg. 6**

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 4(1)(ea) inserted by [2022 c. 37 Sch. 5 para. 3](#)
- s. 10(1) s. 10 renumbered as s. 10(1) by [2022 c. 37 Sch. 10 para. 3\(3\)\(a\)](#)
- s. 10(1)(a) words inserted by [2022 c. 37 Sch. 10 para. 3\(3\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 10(2) inserted by [2022 c. 37 Sch. 10 para. 3\(3\)\(c\)](#)
- Sch. 8 para. 1 repealed by [2010 c. 23 Sch. 2](#) (Amendment could not be applied - affected provision (Sch. 8) not available on [legislation.gov.uk](#))
- Sch. 8 para. 3 repealed by [2010 c. 23 Sch. 2](#) (Amendment could not be applied - affected provision (Sch. 8) not available on [legislation.gov.uk](#))